

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO

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JOHN MANCINI, and)
NORTHEAST OHIO COALITION)
FOR THE HOMELESS,)
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Plaintiffs,)
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v.) Civil Action No.: 1:17-cv-00410
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Honorable Donald C. Nugent
CITY OF CLEVELAND,)
FRANK JACKSON, in his official)
capacity as Mayor of Cleveland, and)
CALVIN WILLIAMS, in his official)
capacity as Chief of Police,)
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Defendants.)

PLAINTIFFS' RESPONSE TO DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO DISMISS

In light of the City's decision to repeal the anti-panhandling ordinances challenged by the Plaintiffs, Plaintiffs do not oppose Defendants' motion to dismiss the Plaintiffs' claims for prospective relief only. However, Plaintiffs' claims for retroactive relief are unaffected by the repeal, and Defendants' motion to dismiss should be denied to the extent that it seeks dismissal of such claims. *See, e.g., Fulton Corp. v. Faulkner*, 516 U.S. 325, 327 n.1 (1996) (repealing law does not moot claim for damages).

Counsel for Plaintiffs are hopeful that we will be able to resolve the remaining claims for retroactive relief without need for Court intervention, and we have reached out to counsel for the

City to discuss. Plaintiffs propose that counsel will inform the Court whether settlement of the remaining claims has been reached on or before July 31, 2017.

June 23, 2017

Respectfully submitted,

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